

Table 86.—Public elementary and secondary students, schools, pupil/teacher ratios, and finances, by type of locale: 2000–01 and 1999–2000

Characteristic	Total	Central city of large MSA ¹	Central city of midsize MSA ²	Urban fringe of large MSA ³	Urban fringe of midsize MSA ⁴	Large town ⁵	Small town ⁶	Rural outside an MSA ⁷	Rural within an MSA ⁸	Locale unknown
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Schools, enrollment, and teachers, 2000–01										
Enrollment (in thousands)	46,693	7,311	5,996	15,074	4,920	603	4,650	4,301	3,836	3
Schools	91,335	10,673	10,764	23,301	8,887	1,285	11,601	16,191	8,227	406
Average school size ⁹	514	685	557	648	554	469	401	266	467	745
Pupil/teacher ratio ¹⁰	16.3	17.2	16.2	17.1	16.5	15.9	15.5	14.3	15.7	0.5
Enrollment (percentage distribution)	100.0	15.7	12.8	32.3	10.5	1.3	10.0	9.2	8.2	0.0
Schools (percentage distribution)	100.0	11.7	11.8	25.5	9.7	1.4	12.7	17.7	9.0	0.4
Revenues and expenditures, 1999–2000										
Total revenue (in millions of dollars)	\$378,087	\$61,317	\$48,874	\$125,322	\$36,300	\$4,289	\$34,044	\$33,021	\$30,461	\$4,460
Federal	26,364	6,129	3,979	5,969	2,195	345	2,690	2,868	1,300	888
Impact aid	975	125	81	192	66	4	98	360	29	20
Bilingual education	60	11	10	15	5	1	5	9	2	1
Indian education	51	4	5	5	2	2	11	21	2	0
Children with disabilities	3,560	560	491	1,072	338	44	298	251	224	281
Eisenhower science awards	153	29	24	39	14	2	14	12	7	11
Drug Free schools	225	44	36	58	20	4	22	16	12	12
Chapter 2 (block grants)	500	81	70	133	50	9	63	58	32	5
Vocational education	519	105	82	102	46	8	56	46	26	46
Title I	5,623	1,514	926	970	518	88	674	659	261	13
Other and unclassified	14,701	3,659	2,253	3,383	1,136	184	1,449	1,435	705	498
State	185,796	29,826	26,243	54,260	18,433	2,367	19,122	18,861	15,318	1,365
State school lunch programs	374	58	49	118	38	4	41	37	30	1
Local	165,927	25,362	18,651	65,093	15,671	1,576	12,231	11,292	13,843	2,207
Property tax ¹¹	101,830	13,443	10,967	43,310	9,335	1,016	7,945	6,840	8,218	756
Parent government contribution ¹¹	27,412	7,401	3,290	9,356	2,749	137	937	1,288	2,200	52
Lunch sales	5,425	467	624	1,934	636	69	567	536	583	7
Transportation	58	1	6	33	4	1	5	3	4	1
Other	31,203	4,048	3,763	10,459	2,946	353	2,778	2,625	2,839	1,391
Total revenue (percentage distribution)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Federal	7.0	10.0	8.1	4.8	6.0	8.0	7.9	8.7	4.3	19.9
State	49.1	48.6	53.7	43.3	50.8	55.2	56.2	57.1	50.3	30.6
Local	43.9	41.4	38.2	51.9	43.2	36.8	35.9	34.2	45.4	49.5
Total expenditures (in millions of dollars)	\$521,956	\$84,930	\$65,495	\$175,309	\$49,634	\$5,734	\$46,419	\$44,824	\$43,080	\$6,531
Current expenditures for schools	384,728	63,393	48,844	128,000	36,566	4,317	34,572	33,298	31,321	4,416
Instruction	319,420	52,670	41,628	105,378	30,283	3,733	29,096	27,981	25,249	3,401
Operation and maintenance	192,896	32,523	25,121	63,286	18,525	2,265	17,750	16,797	15,264	1,365
Food service	29,886	5,241	3,903	9,980	2,796	358	2,649	2,531	2,290	138
Other	12,666	2,155	1,681	3,533	1,324	166	1,390	1,399	1,005	13
Other current expenditures	83,972	12,752	10,923	28,579	7,638	944	7,307	7,254	6,690	1,885
Interest on school debt	8,725	1,473	911	3,188	869	74	683	568	941	18
Capital outlay	44,531	7,313	4,817	15,542	4,561	399	3,856	3,704	4,127	212
Current expenditures (percentage distribution)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Instruction	60.4	61.7	60.3	60.1	61.2	60.7	61.0	60.0	60.5	40.1
Operation and maintenance	9.4	9.9	9.4	9.5	9.2	9.6	9.1	9.0	9.1	4.1
Food service	4.0	4.1	4.0	3.4	4.4	4.5	4.8	5.0	4.0	0.4
Other	26.3	24.2	26.2	27.1	25.2	25.3	25.1	25.9	26.5	55.4
Current expenditure per student (in dollars) ¹²	\$6,880	\$7,219	\$6,930	\$7,114	\$6,209	\$6,135	\$6,212	\$6,447	\$6,670	(¹³)
Instruction expenditure per student (in dollars) ¹²	4,155	4,458	4,182	4,272	3,798	3,721	3,789	3,870	4,032	(¹³)

¹ Central city of a metropolitan statistical area (MSA) with population of 400,000 or more or a population density of 6,000 or more persons per square mile.

² Central city of an MSA but not designated as a large central city.

³ Place within the MSA of a large central city.

⁴ Place within the MSA of a midsize central city.

⁵ Place not within an MSA but with population of 25,000 or more and defined as urban.

⁶ Place not within an MSA with a population of at least 2,500, but less than 25,000.

⁷ Place with a population of less than 2,500 outside an MSA.

⁸ Place with a population of less than 2,500 within an MSA.

⁹ Average for schools reporting enrollment.

¹⁰ Ratio for schools reporting both full-time-equivalent teachers and fall enrollment data.

¹¹ Property tax and parent government contributions are determined on the basis of independence or dependence of the local school system and are mutually exclusive.

¹² Expenditure and instruction per student was based on enrollment reported through U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Survey of Local Government Finances, unpublished data.

¹³ Not applicable because most enrollment reported in other locale categories.

NOTE: The enrollment of schools within a school district was used to determine the locale classification of a district. The predominant locale of enrollment within a district was used for the entire district. Detail may not sum to totals due to rounding.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data survey; and U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Survey of Local Government Finances, unpublished data. (This table was prepared September 2002.)